

CHAPTER 57.

AN ACT to prevent blindness, and for the care of infants affected with disease of the eyes, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof. S. F. 66.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Should one or both eyes of an infant become inflamed, or swollen, or reddened at any time within two weeks after its birth, it shall be the duty of the midwife, parent, guardian, or nurse, or other persons having charge of such infant, to report within six (6) hours after the discovery thereof by such person in charge of such infant to the health officer or some legally qualified medical practitioner of the city, town, or district in which the parents of the infant reside, the fact that such inflammation, or swelling, or redness of the eyes exists. Midwife or guardian to report condition of infants eyes. To whom report is to be made.

SEC. 2. It is hereby made the duty of attending physician and midwives to instruct parents and nurses in regard to the provisions of this act and danger of sore eyes in infants. Physicians shall instruct as to sore eyes in infants.

SEC. 3. Any failure to comply with the provisions of this act shall be punished by a fine not less than twenty-five dollars or more than one hundred dollars or imprisonment in the county jail not to exceed 30 days or both. Penalty for neglect.

Approved Apr. 3, 1896.

CHAPTER 58.

AN ACT to repeal sections one, two, and three of chapter 79, Acts of the Twenty first General Assembly, as amended by chapter 67, Acts of the Twenty second General Assembly, in relation to the spread of disease among swine, and to enact a substitute therefor. S. F. 140

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SEC. 1. That sections one, two, and three, chapter 79 of the acts of the Twenty-first General Assembly, as amended by chapter 67 of the acts of the Twenty second General Assembly, be and the same are hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof: Ch. 76, Acts 21 G. A., Ch. 67, Acts 22 G. A., repealed.

SEC. 2. That it shall be the duty of the owner or persons having charge of any swine or having knowledge of their dying, and upon its coming to his knowledge that any of such swine have died of, or have been slaughtered on account of, any disease, to immediately burn, or bury three feet below the surface, the same. Dead swine must be buried or burned.

SEC. 3. No person shall sell, or give away, or offer for sale, any swine that have died of any disease, or have been killed on account of any disease. Sale of diseased dead swine forbidden.

- SEC. 4.** No person shall convey upon or along any public highway or other public ground, or any private land except his own, any diseased swine, or swine that have died of or have been slaughtered on account of any disease. And upon the trial of every information for violation of the provisions of this section the proof that any person has hauled, or is hauling, dead swine from a neighborhood in which swine have been dying, or are at the time dying from any disease, shall be received and acted upon by the court as presumptive evidence that such swine have been hauled, or are being hauled, in violation of this section.
- SEC. 5.** It shall be unlawful for any person negligently or wilfully to allow his hogs or those under his control afflicted with any disease to escape his control or run at large.
- SEC. 6.** Any person convicted of a violation of this act shall be fined in any sum not less than five nor more than one hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail not to exceed 30 days, or by both fine and imprisonment.
- Approved May 2, 1896.

Diseased dead swine not to be conveyed along highway.

Testimony acted upon.

Diseased hogs not to run at large.

Penalty for violation.

CHAPTER 59.

- H. F. 483. AN ACT providing for the appointment and salary of a secretary and treasurer of the Commissioners of Pharmacy, prescribing his duties, providing for him giving bond and for the inspection by the governor of the books and accounts of the commissioners.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- SEC. 1.** That the commissioners of pharmacy shall annually, on the first Monday in May, elect a suitable person, who shall not be a member of said board, and who shall be known as "secretary and treasurer;" said secretary and treasurer shall enter upon the discharge of his duties as soon as he shall have filed with the secretary of state a good and sufficient bond in the penal sum of fifteen hundred dollars, signed by at least two sureties, who shall justify in the aggregate to double the amount of said bond and which shall bear upon its face the approval of the governor.
- SEC. 2.** The secretary and treasurer shall keep in his office a book known as the "Commissioners of Pharmacy License Fee Book," which shall be made with ruled columns and printed headings, showing the date, the name of the person paying, and the amount of each license and fee paid, in which he shall enter all fees for licenses received by him, and on the first Monday of each month he shall file with the auditor of state a true statement thereof the previous month, properly sworn to by him, and shall

Secretary treasurer elected annually by pharmacy board.

Bond of \$1,500.

Approved by the governor.

Salary.

Commission of pharmacy fee book.

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Monthly report to auditor.